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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.
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was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____ and was amended on _____ (if applicable).
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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application, for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:			
07/800,549 (Application Serial No.)	November 27, 1991 (Filing Date)	Pending (Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)	
PCT/US92/10146 (Application Serial No.)	November 25, 1992 (Filing Date)	Pending (Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)	

And I hereby appoint Harold D. Steinberg, Registration No. 17,255, Merlin G. Raskin, Registration No. 25,642, and Clifford M. Davidson, Registration No. 32,728 my attorneys, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith; correspondence address: STEINBERG & RASKIN, 1140 Avenue of the Americas, New York, N.Y. 10036; Telephone: 212-788-3800; Fax: 212-382-2124.
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WITH STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)**

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Sir:

The undersigned assignees of the entire interest in the above-identified subject application hereby appoints Practitioners at Customer Number 20583 all of Jones Day, whose address is 222 East 41st Street, New York, New York 10017, as its attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, said appointment to be to the exclusion of the inventors and their attorney(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 3.71, provided that, if any one of these attorneys ceases being affiliated with the law firm of Jones Day as partner, counsel, or employee, then the appointment of that attorney and all powers derived therefrom shall terminate on the date such attorney ceases being so affiliated.

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(Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is applicable)

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Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)

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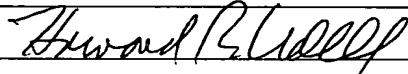
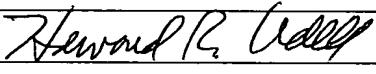
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